

1242

Ex - Salih Eyubid sultan in Egypt.  
Mamluk corps organized.

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Jeru Hart

Burning of TALMUD  
at Paris, France

1242-1243

1912 Dates' J-BK

France

War with the nobles and  
their ally, Henry III of England.  
Louis IX was victorious.

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Mongols

With Ogodei's death & with Batu opposing the choice of GUYUK & refusing to return to Mongolia for a KURULTAI, the descendants of Genghis were thrown into confusion.

There was rough & ready politicking. The House of OGODEI was arrayed against that of his brother TOLUI. OGODEI's widow ruled

the empire for 3 yrs after his death. Her name  
was TOREGENE. She was scheming all the  
while for her son GUYUK

TOLUI's widow was SORGHAGHTAN  
Ultimately her candidate was her son  
MONGKE

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A rider from Korakorum reached Batu with the news that Khagan Ogoidei was dead (most likely from drink)

The Mongols vanished

Batu decided to retire to southern Russia and build his own capital called SARAI